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The Honorable Kay Granger
Chairwoman
House Committee on Appropriations
H-307 The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Ranking Member
House Committee on Appropriations
1036 Longworth Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Tampa Harbor General Reevaluation Report project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Jacksonville District, and it is located at 701 San Marco Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL 32207. The funding would enable Port Tampa Bay to make navigation improvements in the harbor. The funding would be a valuable use of taxpayer dollars because it would improve safety, increase the port's capacity, and enhance the local, regional, and state supply chain for a growing population.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 1001 of the Water Resources Reform and Development Act of 2014 Act (Public Law 113-121) and by the 23 July 1997 resolution adopted by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure of the United States House of Representatives on Tampa Harbor, Florida (Docket 2533).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kathy Castor".

Kathy Castor
United States Representative
Florida – District 14